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Daily Diary, 29 March 1951, O/RR (AD/RR information unless otherwise stated)

D/A: A meeting of the ACEP (Advisory Committee on Export Policy - COMMERCE) has been called at 2:30 p.m., 29 March, to CONSIDER THE ADVISABILITY OF ARRANGING BARTER TRANSACTIONS FOR THE IMPORTATION OF ESSENTIAL AND STRATEGIC CHINESE MATERIALS. The intelligence which [] will present at this meeting will be to estimate the adverse effect upon our export control program which might result if commodities which we would not send to the USSR are exported to Communist China.

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Millard B. Hodgson, Department of COMMERCE, advised [] that [] (D/G) participation in the Technical Task Group has been most HELPFUL IN THE PREPARATION OF RECOMMENDATIONS FOR STRATEGIC EXPORT RATINGS FOR MAP REPRODUCTION EQUIPMENT. (28 Mar)

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D/M: Discussions continued by [] and [] with Col. Blair of the Estimates Staff, A-2, on the subject of AVIATION GASOLINE AVAILABILITY IN THE ORBIT. (28 Mar)

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At the request of Mr. Ortes of the PETROLEUM POLICY GROUP, Department of STATE, information was provided by [] on the AVIATION GASOLINE POTENTIAL IN THE SOVIET ORBIT. (28 Mar)

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[] of the PETROLEUM Branch discussed the subject of STORAGE CAPACITY AND STOCKS IN IRAN with a representative of the MUNITIONS BOARD Petroleum Committee. (28 Mar)

[] gave assistance to the members of the O/NE Estimates Staff on the subject of OIL DEVELOPMENTS IN IRAN. (28 Mar)

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The FOOD AND AGRICULTURE BRANCH discussed with [] of SO evaluation of material to determine whether a particular source should be retained. (28 Mar)

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Balance of O/RR - negative

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